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DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

Basic Energy Sciences Advisory Committee

AGENCY: Department of Energy, Office of Science

ACTION: Notice of Open Meeting

SUMMARY: This notice announces a meeting of the Basic Energy Sciences Advisory Committee (BESAC). The Federal Advisory Committee Act (Pub. L. 92-463, 86 Stat. 770) requires that public notice of these meetings be announced in the Federal Register.

DATES: Thursday, February 11, 2016 8:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Friday, February 12, 2016 9:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: Bethesda North Hotel and Conference Center
5701 Marinelli Road,
Bethesda, MD 20852

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Katie Runkles, Office of Basic Energy Sciences;
U.S. Department of Energy; SC-22/Germantown Building, 1000 Independence Avenue SW;
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SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:

Purpose of the Board: The purpose of this Board is to make recommendation to DOE-SC with respect to the basic energy sciences research program.

Tentative Agenda:

- Swearing in of New Members
- Annual Ethics Briefing (BESAC Members Only)
- Call to Order, Introductions, Review of the Agenda
- News from the Office of Science (Budget)
- News from the Office of Basic Energy Sciences (Budget)
- New Charge to be Presented regarding the assessment of the proposed upgrades to x-ray scattering facilities (both free-electron laser-based sources and ring-based)

- sources) and to the Spallation Neutron Source
- Public Comments
- Adjourn

Breaks Taken As Appropriate

Public Participation: The meeting is open to the public. If you would like to file a written statement with the Committee, you may do so either before or after the meeting. If you would like to make oral statements regarding any of the items on the agenda, you should contact Katie Runkles at (301)903-6594 (fax) or via email Katie.Runkles@science.doe.gov.

Reasonable provision will be made to include the scheduled oral statements on the agenda. The Chairperson of the Committee will conduct the meeting to facilitate the orderly conduct of business. Public comment will follow the 10-minute rule.

Minutes: The minutes of this meeting will be available for public review and copying within 45 days by contacting Katie Runkles at the address above.

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Deputy Committee Management Officer.

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